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VICIM OF PARALYSIS.

Mrs. J. T. Carson, a Lady Born and Reared in Columbia, Dies in Louisville.

THE END CAME SUNDAY MORNING.

A telephone call received last Wednesday night notified Mrs. Kinnie Murrell and Mrs. Margaret Tucker that their sister, Mrs. J. T. Carson, had met with a stroke of paralysis at the home of her son, Mr. Melvin Carson, Louisville, and but little hope was given by the attending physician. Her daughter, Mrs. J. F. Baugh, Jamestown, was notified, and she hastened to the bedside of her mother. News from the sick room continued to come, but with little encouragement. Friday afternoon she met with the second stroke, and her son-in-law, Dr. J. F. Baugh, was called, the messenger of death reaching the home at 1 o'clock Sunday morning.

Mollie Carson Atkins was born and reared in Columbia and was about sixty-two years old when the end came. In her early girlhood she made a profession of her faith in Christ, united with the Methodist Church and was a devoted Christian until the final dissolution.

About thirty-seven years ago she was married to Mr. J. T. Carson, of Campbellsville, and during her married life she and her husband and their two children lived in several different communities—Columbia, Campbellsville, Greensburg, Pineville, Middleboro, Alexandria, Ind., and Louisville. In all these places the deceased was surrounded by friends who loved her for her womanly character and her many Christian virtues.

The funeral services, were held Monday afternoon, conducted by Rev. A. R. Kasey, formerly the pastor of the Church here, a large circle of relatives and friends being present. The interment was in Cave Hill.

The News extends its sympathy to the husband, the children and all other surviving relatives.

Card of Thanks.

I wish to thank my many friends and relatives for their kindness shown me through the late illness and death of my dear husband, Robert P. Smith, also for the many consoling letters received from them since his death.

His loving wife,
Ione Smith.

There is no doubt but Basil Ashenherst, who killed Tom French at Burkesville, one year ago, has been paroled. An Adair county gentleman who was in Burkesville last week, says that he was told that he is in Cumberland county. It is further stated that he was paroled without notice.

Albert Miller sold his residence on Bomar Heights last Saturday to Mrs. Helena Williams, who formerly lived at Montpelier, for \$1,500. Possession will be given in about ten days. Mr. Miller is undecided as to where he will locate.

Mr. Iva Wolford, a former citizen of Russell county, died in Anna, Texas, on the 6th of March. He was a soldier in the 12th Kentucky Infantry, and was commissioned to Captarcy the last year of war. He is survived by a number of relatives in Adair and Russell counties.

Mr. W. L. Mooneyham writes us from Whitewright, Texas, as follows: "The coldest winter for many years; two deep snows. We have had fine weather for the past month. Corn planting is about over. Corn planted early is up. Wheat and oats look fine. Enclosed you will find two dollars for myself and one dollar for S. T. Akin a new subscriber."

Notice to Stockmen.

Don't fail to see V. M. Epperson's fine Red Bird saddle and harness station on the square in Columbia next Monday, County Court day. He is one of the best bred stallions in Southern Ky.

Mrs. J. W. Walker was the hostess at a delightful dinner, given on Friday at her country home. Covers were laid for the following:

Messdames A. D. Patterson, B. M. Currie, S. F. White, N. W. Miller, J. Garrett, T. A. Murrell, Jo Russell, W. A. Coffey, Jo Coffey, Misses Triplett and Holladay.

The ladies of the Baptist Church who had a number of Easter articles on sale at W. H. Wilson's store last Saturday, sold out, realizing quite a little sum of money.

Revival at Methodist Church.

Next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock a revival meeting will begin at the Methodist Church here in Columbia. Services will be held day and night for two or more weeks. Our desire is that the Christian people may be drawn closer to God and duty, and that the unsaved of our community may accept Christ to be saved.

To accomplish this we earnestly request the co-operation of all Christian people. Come, laying aside all unchristian prejudice, and join us in song, prayer and work. Be perfectly at home with us and wait not for a further invitation. The undecided are urged to attend these services.

A special message will be delivered next Sunday morning and all the members are urgently requested to be present. Everybody welcome.

B. M. Currie, Pastor.

Death of an Old Lady.

Mrs. Mary Flowers, the grandmother of Mr. Geo. T. Flowers, Jr., this place, died at Gradyville last Thursday. She was eighty-odd years old and a highly respected old lady. She was a sister of the late Drs. James and Ed Nell. A more extended notice of her death can be found in our Gradyville letter.

Preaching Next Sunday.

W. H. C. Sandidge, Greensburg.
F. J. Barger, Shiloh.
Z. T. Williams, Pleasant Hill.
J. R. Crawford, Union.
J. A. Johnson, Picketts Chapel.
J. H. Rood, Milltown.
J. F. Turner, West Fork.
W. J. Levi, Greasy Creek.
B. M. Currie, Columbia.
T. E. Innis, Beech Grove.
W. B. Cave, Bethlehem.

A person only had to observe the large number of people who visited Russell & Co.'s store last Wednesday and Thursday to conclude that The Adair County News is an advertising medium. It is a paper with a circulation of 2,800, one that reaches all the representative people, one in which it will pay merchants to insert their advertisements. Russell & Co., did not send out a circular, but used the News to notify the people, and they were here by the hundreds. The way for a merchant to increase his business is to let the trade know what he is offering. The News will do the talking, if you desire to use space in it.

Mr. N. W. Miller and wife will remove to Campbellsville this week where they will permanently reside. Mr. Miller is of the firm Murrell & Miller, insurance agents, and as Taylor and Green counties belong to the firm's territory, it will be more convenient for Mr. Miller to make his home in Campbellsville. We commend Mr. and Mrs. Miller to the residents of Campbellsville and Taylor county as most excellent people.

Appropriate Easter services were held at the Presbyterian and Christian Churches last Sunday forenoon. The special songs were rendered most admirably, and the little folks who took part did themselves proud. At the Presbyterian church Mr. Crawford made a fifteen minutes talk on missions and a voluntary subscription was taken up amounting to one hundred and fifty dollars.

I want to give you prices on fertilizers—10 per cent potash.
21-4t C. E. Young.

Rev. I. M. Grimsley desires to inform his friends at Hovious, this county, that he was recently bereft of his dear mother, who died at Lawrenceburg, Tenn., where she was visiting a daughter. He further states that himself and family are for the time being located at McGaha, and that they are pleasantly situated and that the prospect for a spring school is good. He was very much attached to the people of Hovious and he regretted to leave them.

Monuments, Etc.

Mr. Geo. A. Smith, of this place, has accepted the agency for The F. C. McCole Granite Co., Huntington, W. Va., an old and reliable establishment, one that turns out first-class work for less money than any other reliable firm. Mr. Smith has a book showing all the different designs, and persons who want to remember their dead will have no trouble in making a selection. Mr. Smith is one of Adair County's most reliable men and parties need not be afraid that he will overcharge or misrepresent his work. He is now going over the county and if you have not placed your order wait for him. 21-3t

County Court next Monday. Fiscal Court will open Tuesday.

PIONEER PASSES AWAY.

Judge William F. Owsley Dies at the Age of Ninety-Seven Years.

HE WAS BURIED AT BURKESVILLE.

The Louisville Times of March the 23d gives the following account of the death of an old gentleman, who was well-known to many people of Columbia and Adair county:

"The body of Judge William Francis Owsley, one of the pioneer residents of this State, and one of the oldest men in this city, who died suddenly yesterday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock at the residence of his son-in-law, Dr. H. H. Grant, 1146 Third Avenue, will be taken to Burkesville, Cumberland county, to-morrow morning. The burial will take place in the family burying ground at that place Friday morning."

"Judge Owsley was past ninety-seven years of age, but despite his extreme age he was apparently in good health until a few days ago. For several days past, however, he had left his room but little, and yesterday afternoon he was stricken with apoplexy. He died a few minutes later, while seated in a chair."

"Judge Owsley was well-known throughout the State, where he spent his entire life. He spent the greater part of his life in Cumberland county where he was born; but for the past ten years he had made his home with his daughter and son-in-law in this city. Before coming to this city he played a prominent part in the affairs of Cumberland county, serving as County Judge for several terms, and he was looked up to as a man of wealth, integrity and judgment."

"The family connections of Judge Owsley were all prominent. His brother, Michael Owsley once made the race for Governor of Kentucky, and he was a nephew of W. O. Owsley, who was elected Governor at one time."

"He was twice married, and his first wife, who was before marriage Miss Ellen King, died fifty years ago. His second wife was Miss Mary Agnes Bledsoe, and her death occurred thirty years ago."

"Besides his daughter, Mrs. Grant, Judge Owsley is survived by a son, William F. Owsley, of Cumberland county, and several grandchildren."

John Robert Carter was before Judge Moss last Friday, charged with stealing chickens. He was held to wait the action of the grand jury, and in default of a \$300 bail bond, was remanded. Three other men were arrested charged with being implicated with Carter, but they turned State's evidence and were released.

-In buying fertilizer you should get the best. The Groves is the most popular brand used. Call and see me.
21-4t C. E. Young.

Mr. W. H. Flowers, whose home is near Bliss, commenced, last Thursday morning, the erection of a large two-story residence. It will be built on a modern plan and will contain twelve rooms. Flowers & Hurt, contractors of this place, have signed to do the work.

Mr. W. C. Grider has sold his residence on Bomar Heights to Mr. L. B. Hurt for \$1,100. Possession will be given in about two weeks. Mr. Grider and family, excellent people, will return to Russell county where they own a good farm.

W. C. Grider and J. T. Goodman, of the firm of Grider, Morrison & Goodman, have leased their interests in the saw and planing mill to Mr. Allen Walker and Hugh Richardson who will continue the business with Mr. Morrison.

Mr. Geo. T. Flowers, Jr., who sold his residence a few days ago, has no intention of removing from Columbia. He expects to buy another piece of property and continue to live in the center of gravity.

We learn from Capt. John A. Webb, who was here from Webb's X Road last Friday, that the wheat crop Russell county was looking finely and that the indication now point to a large yield.

Charley Slinker, of this county, was tried in the Federal Court, Louisville, charged with moonshining. The jury found him guilty and Judge Evans gave him six months and fined him \$500.

Mr. Geo. T. Flowers, Jr., has sold his residence, near the home of Mr. Braxton Massie, to Mr. L. W. Bennett for \$1,500. Possession will be given in about sixty days.

Young in Action—Old in Years.

Mr. N. B. Dohoney is the oldest man in the Milltown section of the county. He will be ninety years old his next birthday, but he is hale and hearty. Seven or eight months ago one of his knees gave down, and it was thought that he had met with a light stroke of paralysis, but the trouble has all disappeared. He is now at work on his farm, and is frequently seen riding over the neighborhood. He is quite active and when he mounts his horse he places his foot in the stirrup and gracefully lifts himself into the saddle. He has perhaps done more real hard work in his time than any other man in Adair county. He runs teams for many years and has done a great deal of log snaking. He is a better horseback rider today than many men forty years his junior. At eighty-three years old he was seen in the Fair ring contesting for a premium offered for the best rider. He inherited a good estate, but misfortune swept it from him. He is the only living member of Chapman Dohoney's family of children by his first wife.

Free Distribution of Seed.

Hon. M. C. Rankin, Commissioner of Agriculture of Kentucky, and W. H. Strange, of Munfordville Kentucky, will address the farmers of this county and those interested in the organization of a Corn Growers' Association and a Corn Growers' Contest. At this meeting there will be distributed free 3 bushels of Pure Bred Boone County White Seed Corn. At Columbia March 31st. Ladies especially invited.

I handle the Groves' Brand Fertilizer the best used. My place of business is back of Russell & Co's store.
21-4t C. E. Young.

A lodge of Modern Woodmen will be organized in this place next Friday night, April 1st. Mr. M. M. Reding has been deputized to put the lodge to work and he will be assisted by members of Elkhorn Lodge.

Special Easter exercises by the Epworth League at the Methodist church last Sunday evening. The pastor of the Church, Rev. B. M. Currie, also made an appropriate talk.

Mr. E. A. McKinley will grind for all who wish every Saturday, at his mill near Craycraft.
15-4m.

On the second day of March Mr. L. C. Winfrey placed one hundred eggs in his incubator. On the 23rd he took out seventy-five chickens. The eggs were not selected with any particular care, having been purchased from different persons. Chicken growers consider that Mr. Winfrey met with fine luck.

Staves Wanted.

We will pay \$35.00 per thousand for one-half barrel stave bolts, 27 inches long, 4 1/2 inches clear of sap, 1 1/2 inch on hart.
21-4t Elrod & Co.

Mr. Charley Gowen, of Sparksville, and Miss Flora Yates, of near Weed, were married at the home of the bride on Sunday the 20th inst. Rev. Walbert officiated. Many friends witnessed the union.

Mr. Jesse Breeding, whose post-office is Sparksville, has sold \$71.50 worth of hay, grown on six acres, and has thirty dollars worth for his own use left, grown on the same piece of ground.

Wanted

From 200 to 300 Cedar or Locust posts. Apply to
C. S. Harris, Columbia, Ky.

Mr. John A. Wheeler, who fell from a door, at the home of Frank Wilson, last week, and was considerably hurt, is improving and will be himself again in a few days.

James V. Burton, a son of Parks Burton, a young man about 22 years old, died last Thursday morning at 1 o'clock, a victim of consumption.

Pure bred barred plymouth rock eggs for sale, 15 for sixty cents, delivered at your door by mail carrier.
21-2t Mrs. B. F. Thomas.

Mr. W. F. Squires, who lives two miles out of town, has greatly improved the appearance of his residence by adding verandahs and building an additional room.

C. L. Pyle, of Hustonville, was here last week, buying cattle. He secured thirty-two at 4 1/2 cents.

Beginning next Sunday and continuing until fall, the post office will be open at 5 to 5:30 p. m.

AN ATTRACTIVE STORE.

Russell & Co. Held their Formal Opening Last Wednesday and Thursday.

THE BUILDING VISITED BY MANY PEOPLE.

Russell & Co., a leading mercantile firm of this place, came to a wise conclusion when it decided to have a formal opening, giving the people an opportunity to visit their immense establishment, go through the various departments, forming ideas of the character of goods they have in stock.

Last Wednesday and Thursday were the days set apart for the magnificent show and during the entire time the main store room swarmed with people, who spoke in the most complimentary terms of the many artistic displays and the excellent qualities of goods on exhibition.

The store was handsomely decorated with bunting, evergreens, flowers, etc., and while the throngs marched through the building, stopping in each department, they were greeted with sweet strains of music drawn from a piano which was located near the stairway leading to the balcony where Hurt & Co., displayed a most attractive line of millinery.

On entering the store and to the right visitors beheld, as an ornament, a lemon bush with two lemons on it, either one of which would weigh one and a half pounds, and handsome oil paintings were hanging throughout the building. The show-windows were artistically dressed, people standing in front of them from early morning until late in the afternoons.

A formal opening is new to the people of this place, but it was a decided success.

While the many articles presented to view were beautiful to behold, the hundreds of Adair county ladies, elegantly and neatly attired, their attractive features and pleasing countenances, added their grace in a most charming manner to the big show.

It was a great advertisement and its good results will be perceptible for many moons.

The building has been disturbed but little since the opening, and if there are those who have not yet called, they are cordially invited, and particular pains will be taken to show them through.

New Photograph Gallery.

I have opened a studio in the Ed Sinclair building and am prepared to do work of all kinds. New instrument, latest style cards, latest finish. Satisfaction guaranteed. Pictures made in cloudy weather same as clear.

B. B. Montgomery.

The Deadly Forty-Five.

Last Friday night, on Pea Ridge, Cumberland county, Ed Scott, a distiller, shot and mortally wounded his wife, using a 45 Colt's revolver. Physicians from Burkesville went to the scene and reported that the woman could not recover. The supposition is, that Scott was drunk and his wife was upbraiding him, when he fired the fatal shot.

Program.

The subject of the missionary study for the Women's Missionary society of the Baptist church, to be held Thursday the 31st of March will be "Christ for the world," led by Mrs. Walker Bryant.

1st. Stand up stand up for Jesus.
2nd. Readings from selections bearing on the subject.
3rd. Prayer by Mrs. Wheat.
4th. Study of the vision by which Paul was led to go as a missionary to Europe.
5th. Business.
6th. Concert prayer.
Please let every member be present with a liberal contribution.
Committee.

The Odd-Fellows will meet in the Masonic Hall next Thursday night to attend to important matters. All the members are requested to be present.

The Art Social at West Columbia School building, last Saturday evening, was not very largely attended, but the occasion was highly enjoyable.

FOXES WANTED.

Red and Grey Foxes.....\$2.00 to \$2.50
Squirrels......50 to 1.00
Coons......75 to 1.25
And Express.

W. T. HODGEN,
Box 232
Campbellsville, Ky.

Singing at Tabor next Sunday afternoon conducted by Profs. Darnell and Turner. Every body invited.

A Congregational Meeting.

There will be some important business to bring before the members of the Presbyterian church on Wednesday evening (to-day.) A full representation of the membership is requested. The hour of the meeting is 7 o'clock. The Adult Bible class meets at 7:30 p. m. By order, Board of Session.

Come now, Don't Wait.

We are pleasing others, why not you. I have been a student in one of the best studios in St. Louis, within the last year and can give you the latest in photography. Buford Montgomery.

A delightful entertainment at the Lindsey-Wilson Chapel last Friday evening. It was given by pupils of Miss David in the Expression Department and by pupils under Miss Gibbs in the Music Department. Those who appeared showed that they were being well tutored, their readings and performances evincing advancement. All who attended speak in very complimentary terms of both the pupils and the instructors.

There will be a mass meeting at the Court-house the second Sabbath afternoon for the purpose of discussing many things for the betterment of mankind in general. Program later.

Mr. John Parson Dead.

After a lingering illness of several months, Mr. John Parson, who run a blacksmith shop near the roller mill, died last Monday morning about 8:30 o'clock. He was about 60 years old and had been an industrious man all his life. He came to Columbia from the Pickett Chapel neighborhood several years ago, and during his stay here he made many friends. He leaves a wife and 7 children, three daughters and four sons, all of whom have the sympathy of this community in their sad bereavement.

LOUISVILLE MARKETS.

Latest Quotations on Live Stock

CATTLE

Shipping steer.....	\$5.00@5.50
Beef steers.....	4.00@4.50
Fat heifers and cows.....	3.25@3.75
Cutters.....	3.25@3.75
Canners.....	1.00@2.25
Bulls.....	2.75@3.25
Feeders.....	3.75@4.25
Stockers.....	3.50@4.00
Choice milk cows.....	35.00-45.00
Common to fair cows.....	10.00-20.00

HOGS

Choice 160 to 200.....	11.00
Mediums, 130 to 165.....	10.70
Pigs.....	8.85@10.15
Roughs.....	10.30

SHEEP AND LAMBS

Best lambs.....	7.50-8.50
Culls.....	3.00@4.00
Fatsheep.....	3.75-4.25

Columbia Market.

POULTRY.

Eggs.....	16
Trucks.....	10
Chickens.....	14
Ducks.....	9

GRAIN.

Wheat.....	1.25
Corn.....	.90

Fire at Gradyville.

The dwelling house and all its contents, the home of Mr. Geo. H. Nell, Gradyville, was consumed by fire this morning. It took heroic efforts to save the large barn, near the dwelling. Mr. Nell's loss is estimated at \$2,500.

**Stop
Read**

For Thursday, Friday and Saturday ONLY.

Washburn & Crosby Gold Medal first Patent Flour, per sack.....	95c
Rudolph & Bauer's hand made Chocolate & Bon Bon per lb.....	30c
3 Cans Salmon.....	25c
3 " 3 lb Hominy.....	25c
3 " No. 1 Sugar Corn.....	25c
3 " Early June sifted peas.....	25c
Englehard's Coffee, 15, 20, 25, 35c lb.	

Ballard & Russell

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